



## Finding living relatives online for Denmark, Finland, Norway and Sweden

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This class is designed to teach family history researchers how to find living people in the records for Denmark, Finland, Norway and Sweden. These countries have strict privacy laws and may not give information about people up to today.

- **Sweden** 1990 census is available and from there you may search for a person up to today in <https://www.hitta.se>
- **Denmark** the 1930 Census as well as the 1940 Census (in some databases) and live people online in <https://www.krak.dk>
- **Finland** is very strict, but with help from the National Archives of Finland it is possible to find you ancestors even up to the 1950s. <https://arkisto.fi/en/frontpage>
- **Norway** includes records in 1920 census and some marriages up to 1950. Subscribe to membership in <https://www.slektogdata.no> and you may search records from databases, archive, farm books, burial database and much more.

### Objectives:

Patrons will be able to find people in:

- Denmark Civil Marriages at FamilySearch as well as in the Danish online searchable census records
- Finland Church Census and Pre-confirmation Books, 1657-1915, and the National Archives of Finland website
- Slekt og Data a pay site for Norway, and Digitalarkivet for Norway
- ArkivDigital online website for Sweden include the 1990 Census

### Background:

**Denmark** has several databases that are helpful in finding people in Denmark. Here we will discuss a few of them:

1. Denmark Civil Marriages a free site:  
<https://www.familysearch.org/search/collection/1607917>
2. Dansk Demografisk Database (Danish Demographic Database) for censuses up to 1930:  
<https://www.ddd.dda.dk>

**Finland** has names that can be found in

1. Church Census and Pre-confirmation Books from 1657-1915:  
[Finland, Church Census and Pre-Confirmation Books, 1657-1915 • FamilySearch](#)
2. Church Records for Finland available online free of charge:  
<https://en.digihakemisto.net>
3. The National Archives of Finland: A pay site.  
<https://www.ongenealogy.com/listings/finna/>

(The National Archives of Finland can be contacted to obtain records of people; it may cost a little but well worth it)

**Norway** has pay and free sites

1. Slekt og Data (Family and Data) a pay site where you may search for your ancestors in Norwegian and English. Also include a list of people who have died in Norway, and it gives their birth information as well.  
<https://www.slektogdata.no>
2. Digitalarkivet (The Digital Archives of Norway) is a free site that include most of the records for Norway. It is a work in progress and new records are added continuously.  
<https://www.digitalarkivet.no/en/>

**Sweden** has a pay site that is available free of charge for patrons at the Family History Library in Salt Lake as well as at Family History Centers:

1. ArkivDigital  
<https://app.arkivdigital.se>

## **Additional sites:**

**Denmark** see Family Search wiki for Denmark:

[Denmark Online Genealogy Records • FamilySearch](#)

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